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Mr. W. E. Wrather  
Director, U. S. Geological Survey  
Department of the Interior  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Wrather:

This will acknowledge your letters of August 24th and 25th which transmitted the report of the studies of the Geological Survey on Project 00-12, Research on Russian Rivers.

I appreciate very much the work of the Geological Survey in making these studies. They will be of great value not only to Central Intelligence Agency but also to other intelligence agencies.

Sincerely yours,

*signed - R. H. Hillenkoetter*

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